



COLORADO

Department of Transportation

Colorado Highway 72 resurfacing to begin in late August

PROJECT OVERVIEW

The Colorado Department of Transportation and Brannan Sand & Gravel will begin resurfacing Colorado Highway 72 between I-70 and Indiana Street. This portion of CO 72 follows Ward Road and part of W 64th Avenue.

In addition to repaving this 3.67 mile stretch of roadway, the following safety and accessibility improvements will be included:

- Installing raised medians at the following 6 locations:
 - Median on Ward Rd between the King Soopers gas station entrance and the northern entrance to King Soopers parking lot.
 - Median on Ward Rd between the northern King Soopers parking lot entrance and W 63rd.
 - Island on the West side of the W 63rd and Ward Rd intersection.
 - Median on Ward Rd between W 63rd Ave and Faith Christian parking lot entrance.
 - Median on Ward Rd between Faith Christian parking lot entrance and 62nd Ave.
 - Median on Ward Rd between 62nd Ave and 61st Ave.
- Signal replacements at Gardenia St intersection.
- Vehicle detection improvements at signalized intersections to help traffic flow.
- Replacing 59 curb ramps between 44th Ave and Indiana St to meet Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliance.
- Guardrail improvements on Ward Rd.
- Updating signage and striping along the corridor.

PROJECT SCHEDULE & LOCATION

Construction will begin in late August 2022 and continue through Spring 2023. Crews will work on a 3.67 mile stretch of CO 72 beginning at mile point 0.0 at the intersection of CO 72 and I-70 through MP 3.67 at Indiana St.

TRAFFIC IMPACTS

Most work will take place Sunday through Thursday night with occasional daytime work during non-peak travel times Monday through Friday.

- Night Work Hours: 6 p.m. to 6 a.m.
- Day Work Hours (as needed): 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Traffic impacts include single lane, turn lane, and temporary sidewalk closures. Motorists may encounter occasional flagging operations.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Contact the project team with questions or concerns or if you would like to receive construction updates.

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